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Ref: Examiner's Answer dated 9/15/08.

The correction of EXAMINER'S ANSWER page 1: The last sentence of the sheet (page 1) should read "This is in response to the appeal brief filed 8/11/2008 from the Office action mailed 3/18/2008."

The appeal brief filled on 8/11/08 (not 8/15/08). This is a correction to be considered, as a record.

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